

COUNCIL PUTS A CRAMP IN FESTIVE HOUSE NUMBERER

Won't Be Allowed to Have Exclusive Sale Privilege.

MEN WITH THE SIGNS HAVE BEEN GETTING TOO GAY

The street numberers have stirred up so much trouble that last night the city council was forced to take action in the matter. From a somewhat vigorous discussion it transpired that the men working under the direction of Contractor Farrel have been in numerous cases insolent to residents, have forcibly torn down numbers against the protest of the people in the houses and have been compelling citizens to buy the numbers which they affixed in place of the old ones. Complaints alleging all of these offenses have been lodged with aldermen and several of them spoke last night from personal observation.

There is nothing to indicate that Mr. Farrel, the man who was given the contract to renumber the houses, had been guilty of any misconduct, but it was quite evident some of his men have been getting a little too previous. It has also been discovered that the men have been collecting for the work done without putting up street signs on the corners as ordered and the whole business is going to be done hereafter under the careful supervision of the city authorities.

An ordinance was passed last night asking Contractor Farrel to deposit a bond of five hundred dollars for the faithful execution of the contract and he will be admonished to instruct his men to be more careful in their actions. The city marshal will also keep the eye of the police department on the numberers and see that they don't get too gay with householders. No fees are to be paid until the street signs have been put up in each block.

It was brought out that the men have been selling the new numbers for 25 cents apiece and telling residents that there was nothing to do but buy them of the numberers. Alderman Harrison said that one of the numberers called at his house and insisted that the number 335 was wrong and was about to tear it down and raised a rough house generally. The city marshal said he had received several complaints. A citizen said that one of the numberers had attempted to tear a number down against the protest of his wife and that things happened. Shortly afterward the marshal met the aggrieved one again and told him he would send a policeman up to see about it. "Never mind," said the man, with a grin, "I think probably the numberer will be around to you after awhile to come up and arrest my wife."

Alderman Heford inquired the real price of numbers and said that he had purchased three for fifty cents. When he was told that the regular price was two bits straight he decided he was to the good and had no complaint.

No Further Trouble Expected. It is expected that there will be no further trouble, however. Alderman Hanley of the street committee, said last night that he wanted it distinctly known that Mr. Farrel's contract didn't authorize him to make anyone buy figures of his. Residents can buy their numbers anywhere at all or make them themselves if desirable. The main object is to get the houses properly and uniformly numbered. The block in which the trouble is going on with the even hundred and every twenty-five feet is to be numbered. The even numbers occur on the south side of streets running east and west, and on the east side of streets running north and south, the intersection of First street and Railroad avenue being the starting point. With this in mind there should be no confusion or disagreement between housekeepers and numberers. It is an easy matter to get mixed up on, however. Alderman Harrison and Hanley got into a dispute in the meeting last night as to which side of the street the even and odd numbers were on. Friends of each took it up, things looked seriously for a while, and the mayor had to pound his desk in before order was restored.

Other Council Business. K. S. Rogers presented a request to be allowed to take the city's grading and street paving work in the event

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the Tinsley plant was acquired. Referred to the street committee.

The request of Owen Dinsdale to erect an addition to the Highland station was referred to the fire committee.

City Attorney Hickey in regard to the street crossing ordinance called the attention of the council to the fact that a petition from property owners was first necessary.

The city scavenger ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules. The complaint of Blacksmith Smith, registered because the building inspector had objected to the wooden front of his new shop as a violation of the fire limit ordinance, was referred to committee after some discussion, during which the question came up as to whether a blacksmith shop is a store or a dwelling or a church or a business block or what.

Fire Chief Burdette reported the result of his investigation of the bare wire menace. He reported that he had found a great many of the electric light company's wires in various parts of the city uninsulated, to the danger of property and lives, particularly in case of fire. His report was referred to the building committee who will take up the matter with the electric light company.

Regarding the purchase of the site for the future city building, Attorney Hickey reported that the abstract of title was in his hands.

Various other routine matters were attended to and the council adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Police News.

The saloon conducted by Quickel & Rothe, which is known as Zeiger's Cafe, was entered yesterday morning at about 4:30 o'clock and some \$37.75 in cash was taken from the register. Entrance was gained by the aid of a piece of buggy spring which the burglar inserted under one of the windows on Second street with which the fastening on the cash were pinned. People in the restaurant part of the house heard the burglar, but supposed it was some one opening up the house and the robbery was not discovered for some time afterward. The top of the cash register was pried off and it will require some repairs before it can be used again.

The Central saloon was robbed of \$99.50 on Sunday morning, so the proprietor, A. Lazzari, states. Either he or the bartender were in the saloon all night long and the robbery was the mysterious to a considerable extent. Lazzari did not report his loss until yesterday morning.

Nine young men who were in the police court yesterday morning told the police judge a harrowing tale about how they had been lured from homes of comfort at Kansas City, Denver and elsewhere, were sent to New Mexico by employment offices and that when they arrived here there were no jobs. It is feared they came out for a ride and went to Belen, but found after arriving that the job unfortunately had too much manual labor connected with it. They made their story stick and were discharged by Judge Crawford.

E. Vasquez was arrested yesterday and will appear in police court this morning to plead to the charge of cruelty to animals in driving one of the horses from the Ford livery stable almost to death yesterday.

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Yeggmen Driven From New York.

New York, Dec. 18.—According to the latest report of the mendicancy department of the Charity Organization society, New York city is today practically free from professional beggars, "Yeggmen," or criminal beggars. It is stated, have been driven from their haunts in New York and are no longer a menace or an annoyance to the city.

When the Mendicancy committee began active work five years ago New York was infested with this most dangerous class of tramp criminals. With seven policemen detailed regularly to the society the committee went to work and through persistent effort it is now asserted that the task of ridding the city of the mendicant nuisance has been accomplished. Between July 1, 1904, and September 20, 1905, the seven mendicancy policemen made 1,843 arrests. During the same period of time the entire police force of New York arrested only 565 persons as mendicants.

Nucleus of Canadian Navy.

London, Dec. 18.—Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, and Hon. R. Lemieux, members of the Canadian ministry, were the principal guests at a dinner given this week by the Canada club. Mr. Prefontaine, responding to the toast of "The Dominion," said that what Canada had done for the navy was the principal reason for the navy's success. He thought they should establish a navy reserve, an organization which little by little should become part of the British empire. He was at present negotiating with the admiralty with a view of taking over the docks at Halifax and Esquimaux, which had cost the British government millions of dollars, and which would be the nucleus of the Canadian navy. His negotiations would, he had hoped, have by now been finished, but the change of government still kept him in London. He was pleased, however, that the new government seemed favorably disposed toward his plans. Reverting to the question of the unemployed, who yesterday held a meeting in London, he thought a portion of the funds subscribed should be devoted to helping able-bodied men to emigrate to Canada, where employment will be found.

Mr. Lemieux emphasized the loyalty of the French-Canadians, and also the advantage of the entente cordiale. Colonel Sam Hughes, replying for the imperial forces, said he hoped to see an imperial parliament with representatives from the colonies sitting at Westminster.

Mr. Donald McMaster, K. C. Thomas Skinner, F. W. Taylor, of the Bank of Montreal; Mr. Archer Baker, Major O. E. Talbot, M. P. P. Quebec; Mr. Duff Miller, and Mr. J. G. Colmer were among those present. Admiral Archibald Douglas described as the first Canadian to enter the British navy, was in the chair.

Gives Up Title of Baron. Herman Von Wettler, a young German whose title is baron in his own country, was married a few days ago in Stamford, Conn., to Miss Louise Huributt. The groom, a strapping fellow 26 years old and six feet two inches in his shoes, gave up his title on coming here to wed the girl of his choice and will start out for himself as an electrical engineer. He met Miss Huributt in Dresden, where she was studying art. He takes much pride in the fact that his great-grandfather, Baron Von Wettler-Rosenthal, was an aid to Washington in the war of the revolution.

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No. 4, Chicago Limited, arrives 11:50 p. m., departs 12:09 a. m.
No. 8, Chicago & California Express, arrives 6:45 p. m., departs 7:45 p. m.
No. 10, Chicago Fast Mail, arrives 6:50 a. m., departs 7:50 a. m.

Westbound.
No. 1, California Express, arrives 7:30 p. m., departs 8:15 p. m.
No. 3, California Limited, arrives 11:10 a. m., departs 11:20 a. m.
No. 7, Mexico & California Express, arrives 10:45 p. m., departs 11:50 p. m.
No. 9, Fast Mail, arrives 11:35 p. m.

Southbound.
No. 9, Mexico Express, departs 12:15 p. m.
Local freight train, No. 99, southbound, departs at 5 a. m. and carries passengers.

Arrives From South.
No. 10, Mexico Express, arrives 6:50 a. m.
No. 10, makes all local stops east of Albuquerque.

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No. 7, runs direct to San Francisco.
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No. 1 STATIONS. No. 2
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1:20 pm ... Donaciana ... 4:10 pm
1:45 pm ... Vega Blanca ... 3:45 pm
2:20 pm ... Kennedy ... 3:10 pm
2:45 pm ... Clark ... 2:45 pm
3:20 pm ... Stanley ... 1:55 pm
4:05 pm ... Moriarty ... 1:20 pm
4:30 pm ... McIntosh ... 12:45 pm
5:45 pm ... Estancia ... 12:30 pm
6:20 pm ... Willard ... 11:15 am
6:50 pm ... Progress ... 10:45 am
7:20 pm ... Blanca ... 10:25 am
8:10 pm Ar. Torrance. Lv. 9:40 am

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